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Comments from the Chair



*Brick Johnstone, Ph.D.
Chair*

Greetings from the members of the State Committee of Psychologists. Since the publication of the last SCOP Newsletter, several members have completed their terms including Glenn Good, Vetta Sanders-Thompson, and Willa McCullough. Dan Orme has resigned after moving out of state. We thank them for their many years of service. In addition we have added a new member, Mark Kinder, and currently have three open positions which will hopefully be filled in the near future.

SCOP has been keeping abreast of several national and state related training and practice issues which may impact the practice of psychology in the future. For example, SCOP may need to update rules if current legislation is passed allowing psychologists to prescribe medications. If and when this happens, it will be important for individual psychologists, training programs and MOPA to work collaboratively with SCOP to pass appropriate rules which allow for competent and safe practice. Similarly, there are current ongoing discussions within APA regarding the possibility of dropping requirements for a post-doctoral year of supervision in order to be licensed as a psychologist. The APA, psychology training programs, and SCOP will need to work together to develop appropriate legislation, practice guidelines, and statutes/rules for Missouri if and when necessary.

Psychologists also need to be aware of several new rules which became effective as of February 29, 2008, including:

20 CSR 2234-2.040 (E) mandates that a psychologist must be fully licensed for at least one year before they serve as the primary supervisor for a psychological resident during their post-doctoral year. This will assure that supervisees are receiving adequate training from individuals who have practiced independently for at least one year.

20 CSR 2235-1.015 (11) provides specific definitions for what constitutes psychological testing. As of February 29, 2008, only licensed psychologists should be interpreting intelligence tests

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(e.g., WAIS series, Stanford-Binet, Kaufman series, etc.), inventories and tests of personality and emotional states (e.g., MMPI, Millon Inventories, Rorschach, TAT, Draw a Person Test, etc.), and neuropsychological measures (e.g., Halstead-Reitan Battery, Luria-Nebraska Battery, NEPSY, etc.). This new rule makes it clear that non-psychologists should not be administering or interpreting any of these psychological measures.

20 CSR 2235-2.040 (E) makes it mandatory for a psychologist who is supervising a psychological resident to notify the state committee when the resident's supervision ends prior to the stated official end date, and to complete an Attestation form for those hours completed. This rule was enacted to ensure that SCOP is aware of the status of all resident training activities, and that residents have signed attestations for the supervised experiences they complete.

The members of the State Committee again wish to express our appreciation to the SCOP staff. Administrative, support, and legal staff, including Pam Goose, Rhonda Robinett-Fogle, Vicki Steen, Roxy Brockman, and David Barrett continue to assist us in completing our work, and assisting psychologists in the state to become licensed and practice in an ethical manner. We plan to continue to offer free continuing education opportunities for licensed psychologists and look forward to seeing you at these presentations.

Brick Johnstone, Ph.D., ABPP

Chair

Message from The Division Director



David Broeker

The Division of Professional Registration has had a busy and successful 2007. It was a year of significant and beneficial accomplishments, not the least of which was a legislative session where 14 of our 16 proposals were truly agreed to and finally passed and signed into law by the Governor Matt Blunt.

Legislation also signed into law by the Governor created the Board of Private Investigator Examiners which went into effect August 28, 2007. This board consists of 5 members; three private investigators and two public members appointed by the Governor with advice and consent of the Senate.

With the addition of the Private Investigator Examiners, the Division of Professional Registration now houses 18 administrative boards, 13 non-administrative (autonomous) boards and 8 advisory boards:

18 Administrative Boards

- State Committee of Interpreters
- Office of Athletics
- Endowed Care Cemeteries
- State Committee of Dietitians
- Board of Geologist Registration
- Board of Examiners for Hearing Instruments Specialists
- Interior Design Council
- Marital & Family Therapists
- Board of Therapeutic Massage
- Board of Occupational Therapy

(Message from The Division Director continued...)

- Committee for Professional Counselors
- State Committee of Psychologists
- Missouri Real Estate Appraisers Commission
- Missouri Board for Respiratory Care
- State Committee for Social Workers
- Office of Tattooing, Body Piercing & Branding
- Missouri Office of Athletic Agents
- Board of Private Investigator Examiners

13 Non-Administrative Boards

- Board of Accountancy
- Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Professional Land Surveyors and Landscape Architects
- Board of Chiropractic Examiners
- Board of Cosmetology & Barber Examiners
- Missouri Dental Board
- State Board of Embalmers & Funeral Directors
- State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts
- Missouri State Board of Nursing
- State Board of Optometry
- Missouri Board of Pharmacy
- State Board of Podiatric Medicine
- Missouri Real Estate Commission
- Missouri Veterinary Medical Board

8 Advisory Boards

- Advisory Commission for Dental Hygienists
- Advisory Commission for Anesthesiology Assistants
- Missouri Acupuncturist Advisory Commission
- Athletic Trainer Advisory Commission
- Advisory Commission for Clinical Perfusionists
- Advisory Commission for Physical Therapists
- Advisory Commission for Registered Physician Assistants
- Advisory Commission for Speech Pathologists & Clinical Audiologists

On September 26, 2007, the Division held a board orientation and update. The Honorable Jay Wasson, District 141, Missouri House of Representatives headlined the state officials and Division staff who participated in the day-long event. Representative Wasson is Chairman of the House Professional Registration Committee and offered considerable insight on the legislation process. Special thanks to Representative Wasson for joining us during the afternoon session. We were also pleased to have participation from staff members of the Governor's Office, Secretary of State's Office, and the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules.

The Division Mission is:

- Protect the Public ...
from incompetence, misconduct, gross negligence, fraud, misrepresentation and dishonesty.
- License only "qualified" professionals...
by examination and evaluation of minimum competency.
- Enforce standards...
by implementing legislation and administrative rules.

I am proud to be associated with a team of dedicated employees who take this mission seriously.

Know Your Board Members


BRICK JOHNSTONE, PH.D.

Columbia, MO
Appointed: February 1, 2000
Term Expires: August 28, 2008

Dr. Johnstone is Professor and Chairman of the Department of Health Psychology at the University of Missouri Hospital and Clinics in Columbia. Dr. Johnstone earned his doctorate in Child Clinical Psychology from the University of Georgia, Athens, GA.


MARK KINDER, PH.D.

Cape Girardeau, MO
Appointed: May 3, 2007
Term Expires: August 28, 2011

Dr. Kinder is a health psychologist at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau. Dr. Kinder received his doctoral degree in 1994 from the University of Missouri-Columbia.


LAUREL KRAMER, PH.D.

Jefferson City, MO
Appointed: March 15, 2000
Reappointed: November 30, 2001
Term Expired: August 28, 2006

Dr. Kramer is a staff psychologist at St. Mary's Health Center in Jefferson City. Dr. Kramer received her doctoral degree in 1994 from the University of Missouri-Columbia. Dr. Kramer founded the Mid-Missouri area Empower Young Women conferences based on model from the St. Louis area.


JERRELL DRIVER, PH.D.

Cape Girardeau, MO
Appointed: January 5, 2005
Term Expires: August 28, 2008

Dr. Driver's current practice is in Jackson, MO. Dr. Driver received his doctoral degree from the University of Missouri - KC. Dr. Driver is a member of MOPA, APA and Phi Kappa Phi.


CHRISTOPHER J. MAGLIO, PH.D.

Kirksville, MO
Appointed: January 12, 1999
Reappointed: January 23, 2003
Term Expired: August 29, 2007

Dr. Maglio is Professor of counseling and education within the school of health sciences and education at Truman State University in Kirksville. Dr. Maglio received his PhD in Counseling Psychology from Arizona State University.

***VACANT - Member**

***VACANT - Member**

***VACANT - Public Member**

CURRENT STATE COMMITTEE OF PSYCHOLOGISTS' SUB-COMMITTEES AND MEMBERSHIP

Discipline Sub-Committee

Brick Johnstone
Laurel Kramer, Chair
Chris Maglio

Licensure Sub-Committee

Jerrell Driver, Chair
Mark Kinder
Chris Maglio

Report of Activities of the Credentials Sub-Committee

Date	Prior Review of Education & Supervision	Provisional	Examination	Reciprocity	Miscellaneous
January 2007	0	3	2	1	2
February 2007	0	1	5	2	0
April 2007	0	5	1	1	0
May 2007	0	0	5	0	0
July 2007	0	2	0	0	1
August 2007	1	2	17	0	0
September, 4 2007	0	2	2	0	0
September, 20 2007	0	11	1	0	1
October 2007	1	11	3	2	0
November 2007	1	2	6	1	1
January 2008	0	4	0	2	1

EPPP: Licensing Examination Data 11/06 - 1/08

Exam Date	11/06	12/06	01/07	02/07	03/07	04/07	05/07	06/07	07/07	08/07	09/07	10/07	11/07	12/07	01/08
# Tested	3	1	7	3	3	6	3	2	5	8	4	2	4	4	0
# Passed	2	1	4	1	3	6	2	1	2	6	3	1	2	3	
# Failed	1		3	2			1	1	3	2	1	1	2	1	

Complaint Statistics

July 1 - June 30	FY97 96-97	FY98 97-98	FY99 98-99	FY00 99-00	FY01 00-01	FY02 01-02	FY03 02-03	FY04 04-05	FY06 05-06	FY07 06-07
Complaints	14	39	31	10	37	35	25	45	24	34
Disciplined	5	5	5	0	5	1	2	4	4	2

Licensure Numbers

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Number Licensed</u>	<u>Renewal Period</u>	<u># Renewed</u>	<u># Not Renewed</u>
FY01 (07/01/00 to 06/30/01)	49	02/01/00 to 01/31/01	1800	68
FY02 (07/01/01 to 06/30/02)	42	02/01/01 to 01/31/02	1800	69
FY03 (07/01/02 to 06/30/03)	46	02/01/02 to 01/31/04	1725	142
FY04 (07/01/03 to 06/30/04)	71	02/01/04 to 01/31/06	1712	130
FY05 (07/01/04 to 06/30/05)	74	02/01/06 to 01/31/08	1648	57
FY06 (07/01/05 to 06/30/06)	79	02/01/08 to 01/31/10	1689	72
FY07 (07/01/06 to 06/30/07)	88			

Upcoming 2008 Dates to Remember

COMMITTEE MEETING DATES

June 12-13, 2008	Lodge of the Four Seasons, Osage Beach, MO
September 19, 2008	Embassy Suites Hotel, Two Convention Center Plaza, St. Charles, MO
December 5, 2008	Hampton Inn & Suites, 4600 Summit, Kansas City, MO

JURISPRUDENCE EXAM DATES

June 13, 2008	Lodge of the Four Seasons, Osage Beach, MO
July 9, 2008	Division of Professional Registration, Jefferson City, MO
August 13, 2008	Division of Professional Registration, Jefferson City, MO
September 20, 2008	Embassy Suites Hotel, Two Convention Center Plaza, St. Charles, MO
October 8, 2008	Division of Professional Registration, Jefferson City, MO
November 12, 2008	Division of Professional Registration, Jefferson City, MO
December 6, 2008	Hampton Inn & Suites, 4600 Summit, Kansas City, MO

ORAL INTERVIEW DATES

June 13, 2008	Lodge of the Four Seasons, Osage Beach, MO
September 20, 2008	Embassy Suites Hotel, Two Convention Center Plaza, St. Charles, MO
December 6, 2008	Hampton Inn & Suites, 4600 Summit, Kansas City, MO

2008 FREE WORKSHOPS

The 2008 workshops will be held on March 20, 2008 in Kansas City, April 16, 2008 in St. Charles and April 17, 2008 in Columbia at the following locations. The presenter for the 2008 workshops will be Eric Harris, Ed.D., J.D. from the APA Insurance Trust. Dr. Harris will present: *Legal and Ethical Risks and Risk Management in Professional Psychological Practice, Sequence I: General Risk Management Strategies*.

March 20, 2008

Marriott at the Airport
775 Brasilia Avenue
Kansas City, MO

April 16, 2008

St. Charles Convention Center
Two Convention Center Plaza
St. Charles, MO

April 17, 2008

Holiday Inn Select – Executive Center
2200 I-70 Drive SW
Columbia, MO

2007 WORKSHOPS

The 2007 workshops were held on March 27, 2007 in St. Charles, on March 28 in Columbia and on March 29 in Kansas City. There were 453 psychologists who attended the free workshops in 2007. Gary Schoener, Executive Director, Walk-In Counseling Center in Minneapolis, MN presented:

CLINICAL SUPERVISION ETHICAL, LEGAL & PRACTICE ISSUES



Disciplinary Actions

Taken between August 1, 2008 thru January 31, 2008

Fiebiger, Robert W.

Dittmer, MO

License Number: 00720

Effective: January 8, 2008

Suspended followed by Probation

Reason: Generally, the Administrative Hearing Commission found that Fieberger is subject to discipline because in his treatment of patient, (1) he wrote a letter to the patient of sexual nature, (2) he reinforced the separateness of patient's multiple personalities, (3) he failed to maintain appropriate boundaries between therapist and patient, and (4) the primary focus of his therapy was abreactive work, which was inappropriate and could have harmed the patient.

Hartine, Tom

Marshall, MO

License Number: 01591

Effective: August 15, 2007

Revoked

Reason: Violated 337.035.2. (5) (6) (15) and
20 CSR 2235-5.030 (4) (D) (F)

Montgomery, Penelope

N Hollywood, CA

License Number: R0223

Effective: November 20, 2006

Voluntary Surrender

Reason: Practiced outside scope of competency.

CURRENT DISCIPLINED PSYCHOLOGISTS

1.	Frebeger, Robert	Suspended	1/25/2008 to 1/08/2011
2.	Still, Rebecca S.	Probation	8/25/2005 to 8/25/2008
3.	Stock, Vincent F.	Probation	6/16/2003 to 6/16/2008

Complaint Process

No one wants a complaint to be filed against their license but it happens so I thought I would explain the complaint process and what happens procedurally when a complaint is received against a licensee. It is the charge of the Missouri State Committee of Psychologists to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the state of Missouri against unsafe practitioners. It is also the Committee's duty to investigate all complaints against licensees in a fair and equitable manner.

To file a complaint with the Missouri State Committee of Psychologists a complaint form must be completed and returned to the Missouri Division of Professional Registration, Central Investigative Unit, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, MO. This complaint form can be obtained by calling the office (573-751-0099), requested via e-mail: scop@pr.mo.gov or by downloading the form from: <http://pr.mo.gov/psychologists.asp>

(Complaint Process continued...)

All complaints must be submitted in writing. Written but unsigned complaints will be processed as a complaint. The complaint form is preferred but any written communication will be considered as a complaint if the communication fully identifies the subject of the complaint and the complainant's name and address.

Once a complaint is received it is logged in as a complaint, the licensee is notified that a complaint has been filed and furnished a copy of the complaint. The licensee is given thirty days to respond to the allegations. Upon receipt of the response to the allegations from the licensee the complaint and the response are assigned to an investigator. The investigator will then contact the licensee and the complainant for any additional information the investigator might need or additional information the licensee or complainant might want to add. When the investigator has all the information needed a written report is compiled and then forwarded to the State Committee of Psychologists. The report will be reviewed at the next scheduled Committee meeting. When a decision has been made by the Committee both the licensee and the complainant are notified in writing of the decision. It can take several months before a discipline can be imposed. It is very important for licensees to understand that discipline will not be imposed on the licensee without the licensee being made aware of the discipline. Complaints are not public record so the fact that a complaint has been filed will not be released by the State Committee of Psychologists unless the licensee signs a release.

Disciplinary actions are public information. The least form of discipline is censure. Censure is a single day disciplinary action that identifies the facts of the violation/s of the law and rules. This action remains on the licensee record permanently. Probation is for a specific period of time determined by the Committee. There are specific requirements listed in the disciplinary order that the licensee must comply with. By statute probation cannot exceed five years. Suspension is a period of time in which the licensee may not practice and must return all evidence of licensure to the Committee. During the period of suspension the licensee is responsible for meeting the requirements outlined in the disciplinary order. By statute suspension cannot exceed three years. In many cases the suspension is followed by a period of probation. Revocation is the most severe form of discipline. Revocation removes the license and the ability to practice. A licensee whose license is revoked must reapply for licensure and meet all current requirements for licensure.

It is important to understand that the Missouri State Committee of Psychologists is a regulatory agency. The Committee can only seek to discipline a licensee for certain specific types of conduct which are set out in statute. The Committee must also be able to prove the conduct with legally admissible evidence. The legislature did not create the Committee as a substitute for other methods of resolving problems, such as direct contact with the licensee, etc. Additionally, any private citizen who requires legal advice or representation should not consider a complaint to the Committee as a substitute for obtaining the services of a private attorney.

Message from Executive Director

PSYCHOLOGY PROGRAMS AND PSYCHOLOGY ORGANIZATIONS:

I would be happy to come to your program and talk with the students prior to the end of their doctoral program regarding procedures to obtain provisional and full licensure. Please call me at 573/751-0099 to set up a date and time.

SCOP

Jurisdictions Currently Accepting the CPQ

Alberta	Idaho	New Hampshire	Quebec
Arizona	Kentucky	New Jersey	Rhode Island
Arkansas	Louisiana	New Mexico	Tennessee
British Columbia	Manitoba	Nova Scotia	Utah
California	Michigan	Ohio	Vermont
Connecticut	Mississippi	Oklahoma	Virginia
District of Columbia	Missouri	Ontario	Washington
Georgia	Nebraska	Oregon	West Virginia
Hawaii	Nevada	Pennsylvania	Wisconsin
			Wyoming

Jurisdictions in the Process of Accepting the CPQ

Alaska	Massachusetts	North Dakota
Colorado	Minnesota	Prince Edward Island
Delaware	Nebraska	Saskatchewan
Iowa	New Brunswick	South Dakota
Maine	Newfoundland/Labrador	
Maryland	North Carolina	

Members of the ASPPB Agreement of Reciprocity

Arkansas	Mississippi	Oklahoma
Kentucky	Nebraska	Ontario
Manitoba	Nevada	Texas
Missouri	New Hampshire	Wisconsin

Jurisdictions in the Process of Joining the ASPPB Agreement of Reciprocity

Oregon

Licensees Issued

10/02/2006 thru 01/31/2008

Aatre-Prashar, Geeta	9/22/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Adams, Michael D	12/11/2006	Columbia	MO
Beam, Brent D	9/22/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Becker, Laura Thea	9/1/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Beckham, Crystal Marie	9/22/2007	Farmington	MO
Beisner Whitmire, Michelle	6/8/2007	Joplin	MO
Bischoff, Robert A	12/2/2006	Kansas City	MO
Brant, Mary M	1/10/2007	Gilman City	MO
Breiding, Matthew	6/8/2007	Stone Mountain	GA
Brooks, Lindsey Katherine	9/22/2007	Joplin	MO
Cahill, Melissa A	11/8/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Carter-Sand, Stacey A	9/22/2007	Leawood	KS
Cavazos-Rehg, Patricia	6/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Darden, Elbert Elston	12/8/2007	Kansas City	MO
Davenport, Amelia S	6/8/2007	Lenexa	KS
Davidson, Mary Meghan	10/18/2006	Lincoln	NE
Dean, Jackie L	6/8/2007	Bolivar	MO
Dougherty, Amanda Jo	9/22/2007	Osage Beach	MO
Ducey, Sister Sarah	6/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Egan, Anna Marie	8/1/2007	Kansas City	MO
Erisman, Craig A	3/10/2007	Kansas City	MO
Garrison, Dennis	12/4/2006	Tehachapi	CA
Gassen, Michael	9/22/2007	Farmington	MO
Gerhart, Chad L	3/10/2007	Joplin	MO
Gillespie, Robert A	3/10/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Gordon, Robert H	5/9/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Graham, Bridget Ann	9/22/2007	Farmington	MO
Greco, Laurie A	1/10/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Hart, Eric S	9/22/2007	Columbia	MO
Hoevet, Rod E	12/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Hoffmann, Michelle	9/22/2007	Jerico Springs	MO
Huffstutter, Elizabeth	9/22/2007	Windsor	MO
Isenberg, Jill Christine	9/22/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Jaberg, Peter E	9/22/2007	Springfield	MO
Jenkins-Fernandez, Melissa A	12/27/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Jones, Amber Briana	12/2/2006	Bridgeton	MO
Jordan, Karen M	9/22/2007	Overland Park	KS
Kemp, Sarah Leech	4/11/2007	Camdenton	MO
Kobayashi, Robynn Bushner	9/22/2007	Lees Summit	MO
Kraushaar, Brooke E	2/14/2007	Webster Groves	MO
Kraushaar, Steven	7/11/2007	Webster Groves	MO
Lauren-Rusnack, Jessica	9/22/2007	Austin	TX

(Licensees Issued -10/02/2006 thru 01/31/2008 continued...)

Lillard, Richard P	9/22/2007	Jefferson City	MO
Lindsay, Daryl Gene	12/8/2007	Bonne Terre	MO
Longofono, Joseph F, Jr.	3/10/2007	Topeka	KS
Lundgren, Jennifer D	12/2/2006	Kansas City	MO
Mallot, William J	12/2/2006	Bolivar	MO
Mastnak, Julie Marie	11/13/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Mathers, Jason Forrest	12/11/2006	Ellisville	MO
Montolio, Jeffrey John	3/10/2007	Overland Park	KS
Moore, Christi N	6/8/2007	Brentwood	MO
Moses Nunley, Dianna Nadine	9/22/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Myers, Robin L	11/8/2006	Troy	IL
Peterson, Zoe D	12/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Plummer, Suzanne Rachelle	11/8/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Pradhan, Manju	12/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Quenzer, Carmen	11/8/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Reinders, Gretchen M	9/22/2007	Columbia	MO
Riedman, Norma J	11/14/2007	Kansas City	MO
Roberts, Tifini A	6/8/2007	Springfield	MO
Robison, William K.A.	9/22/2007	Springfield	MO
Roller, Rebecca Marie	9/1/2007	Dadeville	MO
Ross, Christina Alice	12/8/2007	Joplin	MO
Sartor, Carolyn Elizabeth	3/10/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Schacht, Megan Marie	9/1/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Shenkel, Randee Jae	1/10/2007	Columbia	MO
Simmons, Linda L	12/2/2006	Kansas City	MO
Spooner, John Richard	2/6/2007	Bolivar	MO
Stinson, Jill Diane	9/22/2007	Fulton	MO
Stites, Marcy Elizabeth	9/22/2007	Overland Park	KS
Thomas, Dolly	12/2/2006	Springfield	MO
Thornton, Cheryl Ann	9/22/2007	Springfield	MO
Voelker, Shea Suzanne	6/8/2007	Troy	MO
Waldron, Mary Christina	6/8/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Waller, Erika M	12/20/2007	Columbia	MO
Waters, Kayla R	3/10/2007	Kansas City	MO

Provisional Licensees Issued

05/17/2006 thru 1/31/2008

Aatre-Prashar, Geeta	9/11/2006	Ballwin	MO
Adams, Michael D	07/10/2006	Columbia	MO
Allen, Seth R	10/25/2007	Springfield	MO
Bahner, Angela D	9/21/2007	Kansas City	MO
Baker, David Wayne	10/25/2007	Columbia	MO
Beisner Whitmire, Michelle	7/10/2006	Joplin	MO
Boling, Steven J	10/25/2007	Springfield	MO
Bradford, Sharon	07/10/2006	Columbia	MO
Brammer, Sara	8/14/2006	Kansas City	MO
Brooks, Constance Moore	9/4/2007	Columbia	MO
Cassidy, Elizabeth J	1/16/2008	Warrensburg	MO
Colvin, Anne R	8/16/2007	Bolivar	MO
Cooper, Amie L	11/13/2006	Sedalia	MO
Cronk, Nikole J	1/16/2008	Columbia	MO
Curiel, Shanda	9/21/2007	Aurora	MO
Curtis, Carmen Elisabeth	8/15/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Darby-Mullins, Pamela A	1/16/2008	Kansas City	MO
Ellis, Diane M	10/25/2007	Springfield	MO
Fellows, Adam	9/21/2007	Nevada	MO
Fellows, Tiffany M	9/21/2007	Nevada	MO
Franklin, Kelly Lora	9/11/2006	Columbia	MO
Gallant, Sheryle J	8/14/2006	Kansas City	MO
Goedeker, Katherine Cern	10/25/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Grissom, Maureen O'Kane	6/15/2006	Columbia	MO
Groves, Andrew P	9/21/2007	Ozark	MO
Gubrud, Ross E	10/25/2007	Rolla	MO
Guiling, Shawn Forrest	10/25/2007	Columbia	MO
Hackley, Jill Suzanne	10/25/2007	Windsor	MO
Harlow, Shanon Lee	9/4/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Hawkins, Joan Marie	1/24/2007	Cabool	MO
Hawley, Kristin	3/9/2007	Columbia	MO
Hildenbrand, Mary Elizabeth	10/25/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Hoffman, Michelle	9/11/2006	Lamar	MO
Horng, Betty	9/21/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Johnson, Summer D	8/14/2007	Kansas City	MO
Jones, Leslie Nicole	12/19/2006	Kansas City	MO
Kassab, Betsy	5/2/2007	Springfield	MO
Laabs Faul, Kiri A	1/24/2007	Saint Louis	MO
LaMair, Dana Marie	10/25/2007	Pleasant Hope	MO
Leclair, Jeffrey P	9/30/2006	Bolivar	MO
Lemmon, David L	11/20/2007	Springfield	MO
Marsh, Ursula W	12/7/2007	Farmington	MO

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Martielli, Richard P	10/25/2007	Creve Coeur	MO
McCreery, Maureen K	12/19/2006	Manchester	MO
McDaniel, Shawn	10/25/2007	Windsor	MO
McGuire, JoAnn Langston	9/21/2007	Springfield	MO
McQueary, Sylvia Bare	10/23/2006	Springfield	MO
Meier, Matthew A	9/21/2007	Columbia	MO
Meyer, Anne T	6/15/2006	Columbia	MO
Mosby, Rico D	1/16/2008	Columbia	MO
Nelson, Jakob James	4/18/2007	Kansas City	MO
Osborn, Zachary Howard	9/21/2007	Columbia	MO
Parks, Ashley Lauren	9/11/2006	Clinton	MO
Parsons, Shannon Douglas	2/21/2007	Ruston	LA
Porter, A. Corey	9/21/2007	Nevada	MO
Reinders, Gretchen M	9/11/2006	Columbia	MO
Ross, Christina	8/14/2006	Saint Louis	MO
Siemers, Erin Elizabeth	9/21/2007	Saint Louis	MO
Smith, Jayme V	10/25/2007	Springfield	MO
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Rules

The following rules related to the licensure and practice of psychologists in Missouri have recently been changed or added. The effective date of these rule changes will be February 29, 2008. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact our office.

20 CSR 2235-1.015 Definitions

(11) Psychological testing. The use of one (1) or more standardized measurement instruments, devices, or procedures including the use of computerized psychological tests, to observe or record human behavior, and which require the application of appropriate normative data for interpretation or classification and includes the use of standardized instruments for the purpose of the diagnosis and treatment of mental and emotional disorders and disabilities, the evaluation or assessment of cognitive and intellectual abilities, personality and emotional states and traits, and neuropsychological functioning by an individual who has received formal academic training at the graduate level in statistics, test construction, sampling theory, tests and measurement, individual differences, and personality theory. In addition, the interpretation of psychological tests for diagnostic purposes requires formal academic training in the areas of abnormal psychology, psychopathology, psychodiagnosis and, in the case of neuropsychological diagnosis, training in neuropsychology. Competent administration and interpretation of psychological tests also requires a formal supervised practice experience. Services which are described as “psychological testing” shall be administered and interpreted by licensed psychologists or persons who are otherwise exempt by statute. Individuals licensed by this committee, as well as other licensed professionals, may also use tests of language, education and achievement, as well as tests of abilities, interests, and aptitudes. With the exception of the test categories and psychological tests listed in (12) of this section, the use of these other tests is not exclusively within the scope of this regulation.

(12) Psychological Tests and Inventories.

(A) Individual tests for the evaluation of cognitive and intellectual abilities, examples of which are:

1. The Wechsler series;
2. The Stanford-Binet; and
3. The Kaufman series.

(B) Individual, objective and projective tests and inventories of personality and emotional states and traits, examples of which are:

1. Objective Tests and Inventories
 - A. The Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventories;
 - B. The Millon Inventories
2. Projective tests and techniques including:
 - A. Rorschach
 - B. Holtzman
3. Apperception Techniques, examples of which are:
 - A. TAT (Thematic Apperception Test)
 - B. CAT (Children’s Apperception Test)
 - C. PFT (Pain Frustration Test)
 - D. Tactual Apperception Test (Twitchell-Allen)

4. Drawing Techniques, examples of which are:
 - A. DAP (Draw A Person)
 - B. HTP (House Tree Person)
 - C. Action Family Drawing
- (C) Individual tests of neuropsychological functioning, examples of which are:
 1. The Halstead-Reitan Battery;
 2. The Luria-Nebraska Battery; and
 3. The NEPSY.

20 CSR 2234-2.040 (E). Supervisor requirements related to licensure prior to supervising.

1. The primary supervisor must be a licensed psychologist **for at least one (1) year prior to start date of supervision** and must also be a health service provider or one who otherwise meets the requirements for health service provider certification.

20 CSR 2234-2.040 (E) Supervisor Requirements related to end of supervision.

7. Supervisor shall notify the committee in writing within five (5) business days if supervision should cease for any reason prior to the established postdoctoral supervised professional experience end date. The supervisor shall complete an attestation form provided by the committee for the period of supervised experience and forward it to the committee within two (2) weeks of the cessation of supervision.

Title Issues

There have been some conversations of late related to appropriate titling for psychologists. For example:

Can a licensed psychologist indicate, "Licensed Clinical Psychologist," assuming of course that the individual was licensed as a health service provider 20 CSR 2235-2.040 and not a non-health provider 20 CSR 2235-2.050.

So what is appropriate? The State Committee of Psychologists recommends the following:

Name, Degree
Clinical Psychologist
Missouri Licensed Psychologist
OR
Name, Degree, Clinical Psychologist
Missouri Licensed Psychologist

Do not use the following:

Name, Degree
Licensed Clinical Psychologist

Things to Know . . .

ADDRESS CHANGE – All licensees are required to notify the State Committee of Psychologists within 30 days of an address change. The notification can be submitted in writing to the State Committee of Psychologists, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, by fax to (573) 526-0661 or by telephone to (573) 751-0661.

DUPLICATE LICENSE – Licensees can be issued a duplicate renewal license by submitting a written request to the State Committee of Psychologists, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 or by fax to (573) 526-0661.

WALL-HANGING LICENSE – Licensees can request a duplicate wall-hanging license by submitting an Application for Duplicate Wall Hanging License to State Committee of Psychologists, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. A \$25.00 fee made payable to the State Committee of Psychologists must accompany the completed form.

HSP CERTIFICATION – Licensees must request an application packet from the State Committee of Psychologists. Completed application with required fee of \$100.00 must be mailed to the State Committee of Psychologists, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

LICENSURE VERIFICATION TO ANOTHER STATE – Licensees must submit the required verification/certification form from the state in which licensure is being requested along with the required \$25.00 fee to the State Committee of Psychologists, P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

RENEWALS – Renewals are mailed to all current licensees on or around October of each odd numbered year. Renewals are mailed to the most current address on file with the State Committee of Psychologists. The renewal license will be valid for 2 years, February 1 to January 31.

MASTER'S DEGREE TO DOCTORAL DEGREE PSYCHOLOGISTS – Section 337.090 of the Psychology Practice Act states in part "Any person licensed on the basis of a master's degree who has then earned a doctoral degree may use the title "doctor" or hold himself out in his practice as a psychologist as having a doctoral degree so long as it is from an accredited institution of higher education and so long as the degree is relevant to the practice of psychology."

Licensees who have obtained a doctoral degree after being licensed based upon the master's degree can submit evidence of the doctoral degree to the State Committee of Psychologists and it will be added to the permanent record. Licensees who wish to have their license record upgraded to reflect that they are licensed at the doctoral level must submit evidence of the degree and request in writing a Committee review and upgrade.

Please send your comments/suggestions regarding the Newsletter to the
Executive Director, State Committee of Psychologists,
P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102
Or you can e-mail: pam.groose@pr.mo.gov or to scop@pr.mo.gov

Your comments/suggestions are welcomed and encouraged.

Visit Our Web Page

Go to **<http://pr.mo.gov/psychologists.asp>** to view the State Committee of Psychologists' web page. You will find information relating to the following:

- Current committee members
- Staff Members
- Upcoming meeting and examination dates
- Open meeting minutes
- Psychology laws and rules
- Draft of pending rules
- Related links

Places to Visit on Web

- CPQ - www.asppb.org/CPQ
- ASPPB - www.asppb.org
- National Register - www.nationalregister.com
- MOPA - www.mopsych.org
- APA - www.apa.org

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PROVISIONAL PSYCHOLOGISTS

The Division of Medical Services began provider enrollment of Provisionally Licensed Psychologists effective November 1, 2006. Provisionally Licensed Psychologists may access Psychology, Social Work, Professional Counselor (PT49) applications at the DMS Provider Enrollment link available at: <http://www.dss.mo.gov/dms/providers.htm>

Provisionally Licensed Psychologists may not:

1. Operate as independent practitioners
2. Receive direct payment from the Division of Medical Services
3. Own their own business in the practice as a Provisionally Licensed Psychologist

Provisionally Licensed Psychologists must:

1. Submit a copy of their Provisional License, initial and renewals
2. Submit a copy of one of the following preprinted Federal documents to verify the legal payment name registered with IRS:
 - *CP 575 or 147C letter
 - *941 Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return
 - *8109 Tax Coupon
 - *Letter from IRS with the Tax ID number and legal name
3. Submit a copy of permanent License as a Psychologist to Provider Enrollment immediately upon receipt.

The Psychology Manual will be updated to reflect Provider Specialty as well as Billable Procedure Codes and Rates. Currently enrolled providers who have a specialty of LCSW or LPC (or PLCSW or PLPC) will be limited to billing as a Provisionally Licensed Psychologist once enrolled as such. Currently enrolled providers are required to submit a copy of their Provisional Psychologist License to the Provider Enrollment Unit, including the provider number with the license. The effective date of the new specialty cannot be prior to the effective date of the provisional license or the effective date of the current provider number.

Questions regarding enrollment only, may be referred to: [**providerenrollment@dss.mo.gov**](mailto:providerenrollment@dss.mo.gov)
The Provider Enrollment Unit fax number is: (573)526-2054. Questions regarding the Psychology Program may be forwarded to [**clinical.services@dss.mo.gov**](mailto:clinical.services@dss.mo.gov)

Questions and comments regarding pharmacy related issues should be directed to: [**clinical.servic-es@dss.mo.gov**](mailto:clinical.services@dss.mo.gov)

Questions and comments regarding any other issues should be directed to: [**ask.DMS@dss.mo.gov**](mailto:ask.DMS@dss.mo.gov)

Article for use by Mental Health Provider Associations
Draft 9/11/07

"Social Security and the Mental Health Provider: Helping us help your patients."

Today, over 30 percent of Social Security Disability and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) applications involve mental health impairments. Even if the mental impairment is not the primary disabling condition, it can be a significant factor in evaluating an application for benefits and may be the key piece of evidence that leads to the applicant's entitlement to benefits.

Your input is vital to ensure that Social Security decisions are made compassionately, timely, and accurately. Frequently, it is your mental health records that make the difference between an allowance and a denial. When a treating source's records cannot be obtained or inadequately document an impairment, the Social Security Administration (SSA) must purchase a consultative examination. Even though such exams are not considered as valuable as a treating source's input, SSA now obtains consultative exams in over half of their cases with mental impairments – a clear indicator of the difficulty they are having in obtaining records.

As you may know, SSA works through state Disability Determination Service (DDS) offices located across the country. The DDSs gather medical evidence from you and make the medical determinations on disability and SSI applications. Social Security representatives recently spoke with us [replace "us" with name(s) of individuals or organization, if desired] to address questions that some of you have raised about providing mental health records to Social Security and the DDS offices.

SSA administers two programs that provide benefits based on disability: The Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) program (title II of the Social Security Act) and the Supplemental Security Income program (title XVI). The SSDI and SSI programs are the two largest federal programs providing cash assistance to people with disabilities.

The Social Security and SSI definition of disability differ markedly from any other public or private industry definitions of disability. The Social Security and SSI adult disability programs are work and function oriented. For all individuals applying for disability benefits the law defines disability as the "inability to engage in any substantial gainful activity [work] by reason of any medically determinable physical or mental impairment[s] which can be expected to result in death or which has lasted or can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than 12 months". There is no provision for partial disability as with the Veterans' Administration or Worker's Compensation.

When you receive a request for a patient's medical records accompanied by a Form SSA-827, Authorization to Disclose Information to the Social Security Administration, it has been sent because your patient identified you as a medical source with information that can help them obtain Social Security Disability or SSI benefits. The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) allow you, as a mental health provider, to make the necessary disclosures to the DDS and Social Security.

("Social Security and the Mental Health Provider: Helping us help your patients." continued...)

You can legally disclose the entire medical record if you do not keep separate "psychotherapy notes" (also called "process" or "session" notes) apart from other parts of a patient's medical records. However, you can choose to redact the parts of the records that are psychotherapy notes by blacking out or removing those parts when you copy them. If you do keep psychotherapy notes separated from other medical records, you can send the set of records without the psychotherapy notes

As HIPAA states, "Psychotherapy notes means notes recorded (in any medium) by a health care provider who is a mental health professional documenting or analyzing the contents of conversation during a private counseling session or a group, joint, or family counseling session and that are separated from the rest of the individual's medical record. Psychotherapy notes excludes medication prescription and monitoring, counseling session start and stop times, the modalities and frequencies of treatment furnished, results of clinical tests, and any summary of the following items: diagnosis, functional status, the treatment plan, symptoms, prognosis, and progress to date."

Social Security recognizes the sensitivity and extra legal protections that concern psychotherapy notes and does not need them to adjudicate a claim. As an alternative, you can choose to prepare a special report detailing the critical current and longitudinal aspects of the case. If you prefer to send a report rather than a copy of the patient's medical record, the specific information that SSA needs is listed online at: <http://www.ssa.gov/disability/professionals/greenbook/index.htm> Select adult or pediatric and scroll down until you get to the heading "Mental Disorders."

More information about requests for medical records to support disability claims is available at:

For Social Security's Fact Sheet for Mental Health Providers and additional background on HIPAA and FERPA coverage, please visit: <http://www.socialsecurity.gov/tobedetermined>

For more about Form SSA-827 and compliance with HIPAA, visit: http://www.socialsecurity.gov/disability/professionals/ssa827_informationpage.htm

For HIPAA privacy rules, HHS formal guidance and FAQs, go to: www.hhs.gov/ocr/hipaa and HHS frequently asked questions at: <http://www.hhs.gov/hipaafaq/use/index.html>

For information on Social Security's Electronic Records Express, visit: www.socialsecurity.gov/ere

For specific questions or concerns about disclosing records to Social Security and DDS offices or sending records electronically, contact your local Professional Relations Officer. For a list, visit: www.socialsecurity.gov/disability/professionals and go to "Contact Medical/Professional Relations Officers."

Disciplinary Action Categories

Charts reflect complaint history from July 1, 1978 to June 30, 2007

CATAGORIES	FY79	FY80	FY81	FY82	FY83	FY84	FY85	FY86	FY87	FY88	FY89
Action taken in another state						1			1		
Alcohol-Impaired behavior									1		1
Alcohol & other substance abuse								1			
Allowing unlicensed person to practice											1
Assessment Procedures											
Confidentiality				1		1			1	1	1
Documentation falsified										1	1
Drugs-Cocaine					1						
Drugs-Impaired Behavior											
Failure to provide medical records											
Falsified application								2			
Fraud								1		3	3
Inappropriate relationship							1			1	
Incompetence							1	1		2	1
Practicing beyond scope of license						1	1			1	
Practicing w/o license								1			
Recordkeeping											
Sexual Misconduct		1	1				4	1	3	3	2
Unlicensed practice	4	2	1	4	4	10	7	7	3	12	12
Unprofessional conduct				3	1	6	1	7	7	10	11
TOTAL	4	3	2	8	6	19	15	21	16	34	33

CATAGORIES	FY90	FY91	FY92	FY93	FY94	FY95	FY96	FY97	FY98	FY99	FY00
Action taken in another state					1						
Alcohol-Impaired behavior				1							
Alcohol & other substance abuse											
Allowing unlicensed person to practice			1		1				1	2	
Assessment Procedures						1		1		1	4
Confidentiality	1	1	1	4	6	2	5				1
Documentation falsified			2								1
Drugs-Cocaine											
Drugs-Impaired Behavior			2	1							
Failure to provide medical records			1		2					1	
Falsified application	1										
Fraud						4	2	1	4	1	
Inappropriate relationship	2	2	2	1	9	2	2	1	1	2	1
Incompetence	8		6	10	8	10	5		1	1	3
Practicing beyond scope of license	1	3		2						1	1
Practicing w/o license		1	3	1	1	1			1		
Recordkeeping					1	1					3
Sexual Misconduct	5	3	9	3	1	2	1	2			1
Unlicensed practice	22	12	6	12	15	11	6	2	11	2	4
Unprofessional conduct	10	17	10	10	6	6	12	7	21	20	20
TOTAL	50	46	43	45	51	40	33	14	40	31	39

(Disciplinary Action Categories continued...)

CATEGORIES	FY01	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10	FY11
Action taken in another state											
Alcohol-Impaired behavior											
Alcohol & other substance abuse											
Allowing unlicensed person to practice			1								
Assessment Procedures	4	4	2	4	8	5	4				
Confidentiality		3	2		1	4	5				
Documentation falsified		1		1							
Drugs-Cocaine											
Drugs-Impaired Behavior											
Failure to provide medical records		3		2	2		2				
Falsified application											
Fraud	2	1	3		3		1				
Inappropriate relationship	2	1		1	2	2	1				
Incompetence	1		2	1	1						
Practicing beyond scope of license	1		2	1							
Non filing or paying of MO taxes				9	1						
Practicing w/o license							1				
Recordkeeping			1								
Sexual Misconduct	2	3	2	1	1		2				
Unlicensed practice		10	8	1	5	1	7				
Unprofessional conduct	21	11	14	7	21	10	11				
TOTAL	35	37	37	26	45	24	34				

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MOVING?

PLEASE NOTIFY THE
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YOUR NEW ADDRESS.

The rules and regulations require all licensees to notify the Board of all such changes by sending a letter to the office in Jefferson City, Missouri. Please include a street address to facilitate any express mail deliveries.

NAME: _____

PROFESSION: _____ LICENSE NUMBER: _____

(P.O. BOX MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY YOUR PHYSICAL ADDRESS)

OLD ADDRESS: _____

NEW ADDRESS: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

PLEASE MAIL TO:
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P.O. Box 1335, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-1335